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 Tuesday
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Star Theater—Today

ALICE BRADY in
"HUSH MONEY"
 And "A MUDDY BRIDE"
 A Century Comedy
 Tuesday
 Elsie Ferguson in
"FOOTLIGHTS"
 And a Star Comedy

108 BODIES TAKEN FROM THEATRE WRECKAGE

Weeks Takes The Ford Contract to Harding

WAR SECRETARY TO DELAY 'COMMENTS' UNTIL CONFERENCE WITH G. O. P. CHIEFS

Desires to Discuss Recommendations With Secretary Hoover and President

HARRIS DECLARES THAT GUARANTEES ARE GIVEN

Georgia Senator Announces That Ford Contracts to Make Fertilizer

(International News Service)
 WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Secretary of War Weeks announced today that the contract covering Henry Ford's offer for Muscle Shoals probably will not be transmitted to congress until Wednesday or Thursday.

It had been planned to submit the document to the house and senate today. Weeks explained that the delay was caused by the desire to discuss his recommendation on the Ford offer with President Harding, Secretary of Commerce Hoover and other officials, before turning the contract over for congressional action.

Manufacturers of fertilizer at "fair prices and without excessive profits" at the Muscle Shoals plant in Alabama is specifically provided for in a contract dated January 26, which Henry Ford has offered to make with the United States government for its purchase, it was disclosed today by a copy of the contract received from Ford by Senator Harris, Democrat of Georgia.

It was stated by Harris that "apparently some doubt" has existed as to the intention of Ford to include the manufacture of fertilizer in the contract. If no such provision had been made it had been his purpose to offer an amendment to the contract, providing for it," Harris said.

It also was learned that Democratic senators understood that Secretary Weeks had himself "created the impression" that the Ford contract, submitted to him and which he is expected to submit to congress, did not provide for the manufacture of fertilizer.

The text of the provision regarding fertilizers, embodied in the copy of the Ford contract received by Harris, and which the Georgia senator said he understood was the "official one" was as follows:

"Section 15.—In order that the farmers may be supplied with fertilizers at fair prices and without excessive profits the company agrees that it shall make on manufacture and sale of fertilizer products at nitrate plant Number 2 shall not exceed 8 per cent of the actual cost of production thereof. In order that this provision may be carried out the company agrees to the creation of a board of not more than nine voting members, chosen as follows: The three leading representative farm organizations, national in fact, namely: The American Farm Bureau Federation, the National Grange, the Farmers Education and Co-operative Union of America or their successors, shall each designate not more than seven candidates for said board. The President shall nominate for membership on the board not more than seven of these candidates, selected to give representation to each of the above mentioned organizations, said nomination to be made subject to confirmation by the senate and there shall be two voting members of said board selected by the company.

A representative of the bureau of markets, department of agriculture or its legal successor, appointed by the President, shall also be a member of the board, serving in an advisory capacity without the right to vote. The said board shall determine what has been the cost of manufacture and sale of fertilizer products and also the price which has been charged therefore and if necessary for the purpose of limiting the price to be charged.

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MORE GALLONS TO ACRE PLAN OF FORD TO RELIEVE SHORTAGE OF COMBUSTION ENGINE FUEL

(Copyright 1922 by I. N. S.)
 DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 30.—Henry Ford today authorized the Detroit Times to transmit to members of congress his suggestion that they give their immediate attention to the vital question of the future supply of fuel for use in combustion engines principally automobile motors.

In an interview with Mr. Ford he said that at such a time as now, when farmers throughout the country have millions of bushels of corn on hand, and with no prospect of a market for the product, congress should turn its attention to the manufacture of commercial alcohol.

"With these millions of bushels of corn in the hands of the farmer and with the country stocked with food enough to last for the next five years, I suggest to congress that manufacturing plants be established about the country for the making of commercial alcohol to take the place of the fast diminishing supply of gasoline.

"Congress is in a position to pass the necessary legislation to permit the establishment of these manufacturing plants and I take this means of citing to our senators and congressmen a grave situation. Such a manufacture of commercial alcohol would have, at least, two results which would make it worth while," said Mr. Ford.

"First, it would create a substitute for shale oil products which, when they are exhausted will not be created again until the earth experiences another upheaval, if ever.

Special Sermon to Benefit Society

Rev. T. J. Halfacre, pastor of the Westside Presbyterian church, preached a special sermon at his church last evening to the members of the local sick benefit association. Led by W. G. Gentry and George Hartung, leaders of this body, quite a number of the membership joined with Rev. Halfacre's congregation in the service last night.

A male quartette, in addition to the choir and congregational singing, joined in the song service preceding the sermon. Dr. L. F. Goodwin, who had accompanied J. M. Patterson, the mission speaker, to the Westside church, took a leading and helpful part in the service. The preacher's text was "Am I My Brother's Keeper?" In the course of his able discourse, Rev. Halfacre affirmed, emphatically, that we are or at least ought to be our brother's keeper in the highest and best sense. The general theme of the sermon was on brotherhood and it was shown that in Christ's teachings alone could be found those thoughts worthy to sustain the relationship of true brotherhood. One of the outstanding illustrations given was that portraying the love and friendship between Damon and Pythias.

3 More Days to Pay Your Poll Tax

Three more days yet remain in which to pay poll tax and qualify for the elections of the year. A larger number were paying at the tax-collector's office this morning than usual, and the list is confidently expected to be swelled considerably during the remaining days. Today, tomorrow, and February 1st inclusive, provide the last opportunity.

Light Vote in the City Early

There was only a light vote cast in the Twin Cities early today, but a heavier balloting was expected this afternoon. The vote at one o'clock was as follows:

Decatur—courthouse 121, city hall 100.
 Albany—city hall 212, first ward 74, second ward 148, third ward 50.

"Second, it will create a market for the farmer whose corn is now a drug on the market. It is my desire that this situation be brought to the attention of members of congress. In the event of action on their part I will be pleased to offer them the use of my laboratories together with any suggestion I may have relative to the manufacture of commercial alcohol."

The possibility that the present prohibition laws might deter the establishment of such commercial alcohol plants was suggested to Mr. Ford, but his reply was that the introduction of a slight dash of kerosene into the alcohol will kill any use it might have as a beverage.

Mr. Ford has been experimenting for some time past on potatoes as a source of commercial alcohol and believes that the potato will ultimately be the principal product from which commercial alcohol will be manufactured.

However, when he learned of the fact that farmers of this country have millions of bushels of corn which they cannot dispose of, he made tests of the alcoholic contents of that product. He says that as a result of these tests he has found that one bushel of corn will produce approximately two gallons of commercial alcohol and that considering the food value of the corn, which is not impaired by the extraction of the alcohol, and its sale value after the alcohol has been taken, the manufacturing costs would be approximately 12 1-2 cents a gallon.

Whistles Remind Citizens to Vote

The blowing of whistles in the Twin Cities at ten o'clock this morning brought forcibly to the minds of all that today a great issue is to be settled. For some five minutes the sirens kept up a roar that echoed and re-echoed throughout the cities and the country roundabout.

A campaign of education has been carried on for the past thirty days, this campaign carried to every nook and corner of the state, each county being a unit in formulating and getting out its literature under the supervision of the county chairman.

To the activities of the League of Women voters of the county is due some of the splendid results that are confidently expected to be reflected in the returns of today, as that organization were very active in behalf of the issue.

Orchestra Seats Are Going Fast

The Cincinnati Symphony orchestra, which appears at the Princess theatre Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Tennessee Valley Shrine club, promises to be the record event of the season. The seat sale has been heavy, and the management desires it known that all reservations for seats that has been made and not paid for by six o'clock Tuesday evening, and still remain in the box office, will be taken out and resold.

Parties desiring to be sure of getting their tickets were requested to be governed accordingly.

Women Voting in Big Numbers

That the women of the county propose to do their full part in the great issues involved in the election of today is evidenced by the fact that they were at the polls early at all the polling places in the Twin Cities.

The same thing was prevailing at Hartselle, where a large number had registered and otherwise qualified to exercise the privilege of the ballot.

WEEK'S WEATHER

For the South Atlantic and East Gulf States: Unsettled weather is indicated, with occasional rains and temperatures near or below normal.

LADIES' BENEVOLENT SOCIETY CHOSEN TO FIELD IN AFRICA ADMINISTER FUNDS IN RELIEF CAMPAIGN

Mass Meeting Held Sunday Afternoon by Local Citizens at Y. M. C. A.

SPEAKERS POINT OUT DISTRESS CASES HERE

Red Cross and Salvation Army Representatives Assert Great Need for Relief

A mass meeting was held Sunday afternoon at the Railroad Y. M. C. A., attended by about sixty representative men and women of the two cities.

The object of the meeting, as stated by a number of the speakers, was to alleviate known cases of want and distress existing at the present time in the Twin Cities. Every one in attendance evidenced a genuine interest, and a generous response was made when subscriptions were called for. It was not the purpose of the meeting yesterday to raise the whole fund needed, and the amounts subscribed, were only in the nature of a "preliminary gifts" to be used at once, for those who required immediate assistance.

Something over forty dollars per month, was given in a few minutes, to be paid monthly, as long as the Ladies Benevolent Society, which organization was asked to administer the money raised, deemed such subscriptions necessary, to buy food and other provisions for those temporarily out of employment and the means for securing food, and clothing. The unanimity with which the men and women planned and donated for their less fortunate brothers and sisters at the meeting, was an inspiring object lesson. When the time for giving came, it was welcomed by all, and after full opportunity was given all present to contribute, a finance committee, was appointed to carry on the work of securing other subscriptions.

The meeting was called to order by Judge L. P. Troup. The minutes of a similar meeting held in Decatur last week as read by Mrs. Vera Austelle, showed that yesterday's mass meeting, was called on motion of George D. Williamson to meet at the R. R. Y. M. C. A. and designating Judge Troup as the chairman.

Dr. B. F. Austin, county health officer, was asked to state the object of the meeting by Judge Troup, who after explaining what was needed as he saw the situation, asked Mrs. Vera Austelle to explain present needs from her viewpoint. Mrs. Austelle, who since December, has given her services free of charge to administering the Red Cross fund, which fund she stated was now about all expended, declared that there was real want, and said with emphasis: "It is up to us, to look after the necessities of those less fortunate than we are."

Captain Abbott, of the Salvation army, was next called on. He stated that Mrs. Austelle had not overdrawn the picture one bit, and that while he had never seen the United States in such a condition in the past, he was free to say that never had he witnessed greater need than is now apparent.

Captain Abbott answered a number of questions, and more than once said that the Salvation army stood ready to cooperate in any plan decided upon. He joined heartily in the plan to make the Benevolent Society the administrator of the funds collected. Mayor Payne made more than one earnest statement of the needs as he saw them, saying among other things that he believed the city council of Albany should make a donation to the fund now being raised for the needy. Mr. Payne was named in a motion made by Dr. John D. Wallace, to be the messenger who should formerly acquaint the Benevolent Society with the expenditures.

He said that like many other people, he was deeply moved by the tragedy.

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BACK FROM MISSION FIELD IN AFRICA HE TELLS OF WORK BY THE PRESBYTERIANS

J. M. Patterson, Noted Churchman, Delivers Addresses at Local Churches

MAKES FORMAL REPORT TO THE CHURCH LATER

Was Sent to Africa to Learn of Conditions in Mission Field

J. M. Patterson, of St. Louis, but lately returned from the Presbyterian missionary field in West Africa, made a number of earnest addresses at the three U. S. A. Presbyterian churches in Albany last night and Sunday morning.

He began speaking before the Sunday schools and later was driven quickly around so as to meet the congregations at Willoughby church, the Westminster church, and the Westside Presbyterian church.

Mr. Patterson is not an ordained minister, but a lay representative of the foreign field. He is a native of Tennessee, and has extensive orchard interests in Arkansas.

He was sent to Africa about six months ago for the purpose of inspecting the workings of the mission churches in Africa and to report his findings to the general board of his denomination.

In speaking at the Westside church last night, Mr. Patterson said that he must make his report near the last of February, but that in the meantime it was considered best for him to acquaint the individual churches with conditions in their African missions, and to show them what was being done with the funds they contributed to missions.

The speaker exhibited a pamphlet printed by native Christian boys in Africa, and also a pocket knife "made by boys who only yesterday, so to speak, were cannibals or near cannibals."

He declared that if ever his hearers were told that nothing worth while was being accomplished on the foreign field and that the natives were soulless to deny it after hearing his address.

As regards woman's present position in West Africa, the speaker said men who could manage it had as high as 300 wives, but they were called "women" only and that the men spoke of them just as Tennessee farmers would speak of so much "live stock."

It was declared that men did not support the women but that it was the other way about.

"The women and her children live in little huts, away from the man of the family. He lives alone and would not consider eating with a woman. The women have to tend all the crops, gather them, and also all the fire wood."

Mr. Patterson said that the natives accepted Christ very readily but that they had to be trained in Christian ethics.

He said that like many other people,

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'SIDELIGHTS' ON THEATRE HORROR

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—While the national capital mourned today for its scores of dead the United States senate was asked to inaugurate a sweeping investigation of the Knickerbocker theatre disaster.

Within a few minutes after the senate met today, Senator Capper, Republican of Kansas, introduced a resolution asking the senate to undertake an investigation, not only to fix responsibility for the Knickerbocker tragedy, but also to investigate rumors that there exists "collusion between constructors and building inspectors to evade the law."

The Capper resolution set forth that it is freely rumored in Washington that many buildings of war-time construction are unsafe and that they are not condemned because of rumored collusion between inspectors and builders.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Home brew stocks of wine were brought from many houses in the vicinity of Columbia road and Eighteenth street during the long hours that rescue work went on in the death pit at the Knickerbocker theatre, to be used by physicians in sustaining life in those who were compelled to lie beneath the wreckage until they could be pulled out. The liquor was forced down the throats of the victims through rubber tubes.

Physicians said today that many persons who otherwise would have perished were saved in this way, although the efforts might not have come strictly within the terms of the Volstead law.

SELMA, Ala., Jan. 30.—Grief reigned in Selma today as news of the death in the Knickerbocker theatre disaster of John and Elizabeth Jefferies spread throughout the city. They were both born and educated in Selma. Their father, L. E. Jefferies, chief counsel for the Southern railway company, had been a prominent attorney of the local bar. The two victims will be brought here and buried Wednesday. John Jefferies was a graduate of Alabama University and was a member of the Kappa Alpha fraternity.

Elizabeth Jefferies visited here last spring and was prominent in the younger social set.

3 Negroes Are Arrested Here

Three negroes, arrested here by the Decatur police, were returned to Huntsville Sunday night where they are said to be wanted on serious charges. The negroes gave the names of Joe Walne, Virgil Hawkins and Robert Jones.

FIRE AT GREENHOUSE

At an early hour this morning fire broke out in the City Park Greenhouse on Sixth avenue, doing considerable damage to the rear end of the building.

The origin of the fire is supposed to have been from the heating apparatus used to care for the plants.

Sunday Daily Still Proving Claim as North Alabama's Leading Paper

The Sunday Daily yesterday continued to prove its claim to be "North Alabama's Leading Newspaper." The Daily yesterday carried 36 local stories, in addition to a splendid run of syndicate features, four pages of comics and the best telegraphic story coming here on the Washington theatre accident.

The Daily's story of the Knickerbocker horror fairly "ate up" the stories carried by the Birmingham papers. The story again proved The Daily's contention that the Birmingham papers, printing an early edition for North Alabama, cannot hope to serve North Alabama as well as The Daily can and does serve North Alabama by getting telegraphic news several hours later.

If you want all the news Sunday, buy The Daily.

SERVICE MEN DROP TOOLS, DECLARING DEBRIS HAS YIELDED ITS LIST OF VICTIMS

Soldiers and Marines, Heartsick From Tragedies, Finish Rescue Work

MANY IN HOSPITALS WILL DIE IS BELIEF

Funeral Services For Most of Victims Will Be Held Tuesday

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Exhausted from the 36 hours of toil and heartsick from the horrible tragedies uncovered in the wreckage of the Knickerbocker theatre collapse, begrimed soldiers and marines dropped their tools at 8 o'clock this morning and declared that all the bodies had been recovered from the pile of twisted iron and cement that once was the capital's finest movie palace.

The death list as the sun came up over the desolate scene stood at 108, all identified. There are more than 180 in Washington hospitals, some of them so terribly mutilated that hospital authorities say they cannot survive. They predicted the death list will grow before nightfall from those who will die in hospitals.

Edward H. Shaughnessy, second assistant postmaster general, is one of those so seriously injured it is feared he may die. He is suffering of internal injuries and blood transfusion already has been resorted to in an effort to save his life.

Dr. Clyde M. Gearhart, a widely known capital dentist specialist, suffered legs so badly crushed that it is said at his hospital this morning they will have to be amputated. His wife and 9 year old son were lost in the tragedy.

Mrs. Howard Kneesi, wife of the vice president of a large automobile firm in the district, had one leg torn off in a terrible manner. Her husband was killed beside her.

Those are only a few of the terrible tragedies which fill Washington hospitals today and they serve only inadequately to give a general picture of the worst catastrophe the national capital ever witnessed and one of the worst theatre tragedies in history.

Tales of heroism and unmitigated personal sacrifices came in the wake of the tragedy today. Outstanding among the heroes was Albert G. Buehler, who gave his life that others might live. He was discovered by rescuers pinned down by a steel girder, but called to rescuers that he was not very badly hurt and asked that they concentrate their efforts in getting at the more seriously injured whose cries echoed about him.

The rescuers heeded his plea but when he was removed from the tangled mass of debris an hour later, it was too late to save him. He died in the arms of those who lifted him from the wreckage.

Ten Georgetown college students, living at the S. A. E. fraternity house nearby, volunteered their bodies for blood transfusion to save the life of Miss Caroline Upshaw, niece of Representative Upshaw, of Georgia, who had one foot cut off and the other so badly mangled that it may have to be amputated.

Lieutenant Colonel Taylor, U. S. A., bleeding from wounds about the body and badly mangled legs, found that he could stand up on them and rose from his stretcher as they were about to carry him away and insisted upon tearing away with his bare hands the plaster and tangled wire skeins that covered the body of his daughter, who was rescued alive.

A six year old red-headed boy, whose name was not learned, on being removed from the ruins, argued hotly against being carried away and insisted that he be permitted to remain.

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DAILY GRATEFULLY ACCEPTS THANKS FROM FORMER SUBSCRIBERS

It is with genuine pleasure The Daily wishes to acknowledge the expressions of appreciation sent in by its farm subscribers throughout the county. In view of the interest taken by the farmers in what we are attempting to accomplish for their progress, as well as for the best interests of all, we expect to redouble our efforts and energy to meet as nearly as possible every requirement made of their newspaper. In presenting data and facts concerning farms and farm needs, it shall be our constant endeavor in the future, as it has been in the past, to see to it that what we send out to our readers is accurate and secured from the highest and most reliable authorities. In its advocacy of Mr. Ford as the proper person to whom to lease the government nitrate plant and water power project at Muscle Shoals, The Daily has all along had in mind the interests of the farmers of Morgan county. We not only wish them prosperity for their own sakes, and because they so richly deserve it, but because we realize that the prosperity of the farmers lies at the basis of all our wealth and continued prosperity. We fully realize that permanent and abounding prosperity cannot obtain, unless the farmer continues in a prosperous condition. Lately The Daily received an interesting letter from Walter G. Johnston, county farm agent.

Mr. Johnston included in his letter some sound wholesome advice, we desire to pass it on to our farmer friends. He was speaking of the imperative need of right foundations and careful preparation when he said: "Spring will soon come, let us all be among those who look ahead. Farmers plan your year wisely; govern your land well; your crops; your machines; your help, and exercise economy, but let it be a broad gauged economy, so that when this year comes to a close, you shall enjoy the profits that rightfully belong to you. From such a foundation, you shall enjoy only, can agriculture and industry be brought to that peak of prosperity which arouses certain hope and kindles ambition to where we can sweep away all difficulties."

THAT'S WHEN

When we quit buying peas from Maine and Maryland; beans from Michigan; potatoes from Maine and New Jersey; tomato catsup from everywhere; canned tomatoes from many states; meal from neighboring states; hay from Tennessee, and up to this year corn from anywhere we could get it; pork and lard from Illinois; cotton seed oil, from the cotton seed which we raise and freight nearly across the continent to and from the manufacturer; manufactured cotton fabrics, made from the cotton we grow in our own "Sunny South" and pay freight on it both ways. When we quit some of all these practices then can it be truly said that we are awake, and will express that awakening in taking care of some of the things that we let go to waste all around us and prefer to buy them from others who take the time and the trouble to put them in tin cans and send to us the very things that we should have canned ourselves, but for the fact that we are asleep to the great opportunities that lie at our door.

CAMPAIGN PRINTING

This little notice recently appeared in the Corsican (Tex.) Democrat and Truth:

NOTICE TO CANDIDATES!

We wish to inform you that owing to the small margin of profit in candidate work we are forced to charge cash on all orders.

STOKES & MORTON,
REEVES THE PRINTER,
PIERCE COLQUITT.

There is good sense in this. Not that candidates as ordinary citizens are any more unreliable about paying their debts than other people. On the contrary, they are ordinary citizens till they get the political bug, then they buy under different conditions and contract obligations injudiciously and without thought of the day of reckoning.

In the excitement of the campaign the candidate does not use as good judgment in his expenditures as he does in his other lines of activity, whatever they may be. He is intoxicated with the breath of battle and uses every means to win the coveted nomination or election. Of course he hopes to win out. But for every one who wins there is one who loses—and sometimes several who lose. The campaigner's funds are depleted. The salary he had hoped to receive from the political office is being paid to some one else. He can't pay, and the printer holds the sack.

During the whirlwind excitement of the campaign the candidate will make any sacrifice to further his cause—even to the mortgaging of his property, if necessary, the proceeds going for railway fare, auto hire, gasoline, hall rent, brass bands; in fact, to those who insist upon cash with the order. There is not a splinter of reason why the printer should not be as much entitled to his money as the railroad company for traveling from one town to another or the postmaster for stamps to carry political letters and circulars.

A defeated candidate pities himself and nurses his "hard luck," and his enthusiasm reaches the vanishing point oh, so soon, after the ballots have counted him out. Oh, well, when he gets around to it, etc. But all know how often he fails to get around to it.

The political debt is much like a gambling debt and given about as much consideration. The ante should be put up in cash.—Publisher-Auxiliary.

A GREAT AND GENEROUS NATION DOES FINE THING FOR WOODROW WILSON

An anonymous writer of a book which is being read with great interest by men everywhere, made the statement that Mr. Lloyd George has probably attracted the attention of the people of all nations more universally than has any other single man who has appeared upon the earth since the time of Napoleon.

Whether this statement is true or not is a matter of little consequence. A more profitable employment for speculative minds might be found in an effort to determine, if possible, which of all living men has done most for the cause of human freedom and the advancement of mankind and civilization. It is very likely that if this individual could be pointed out, he would bear the name of America's great war leader who gave to the world effective methods for the co-operation of the liberal forces of mankind, thus rendering to democracy its greatest service.

The people of America are now engaged in building a great institution as a memorial to Woodrow Wilson. That institution will be known as The Woodrow Wilson Foundation. The usefulness of this foundation is in creating a method whereby public service will be encouraged and conspicuously recognized in this and future generations. From the income of the foundation it is proposed that awards will be granted in recognition of distinguished public service.

The citizens of Calhoun county will be given the privilege of contributing the sum of \$1,500 to this foundation. It ought to be a pleasure to every citizen who believes in the great principles so conspicuously championed by Woodrow Wilson, to make a contribution to this fund.

None of the money raised will be used for the purpose of meeting the expenses of the national headquarters of the committee in charge of the raising of the million dollars. These expenses have been met by a group of friends of the foundation, and all the money secured throughout the country and received by the national treasurer will go towards the endowment of the Woodrow Wilson Award.

After the fund has been raised a board of trustees, composed of eminent Americans, will be entrusted with its permanent administration.—Aniston Star.

"DRUNK AS A SAILOR"

The condition of extreme inebriety has long been associated with the phrase, "drunk as a sailor." Now the Navy rises up on its sea legs to denounce the simile. No less a person than Senator Norris is accused of unfairness in employing it. A popular author has fallen under nautical disfavor for the same offense.

It would be foolish to say that no sailor was ever drunk. It would be equally foolish to say that no cavalryman ever swore; yet the phrase, "swears like a trooper" persists in spite of the marvelous records made by the infantry and artillery against Germany. Why should we have to employ such phrases?

If it is necessary to compare a drunken man with some other man, don't make anybody who ever was in the Navy the basis of your comparison. Don't compare all blasphemers to the troops. These comparisons are just two of many which go to show the ancient prejudice of civilian America against the men in service—a prejudice which the World War partially overcame, but which is still visible and audible in many localities.—American Legion Weekly.

Much has been said in congress recently about the dirt farmer. Be it known, that the dirt farmer is the one who wrings from the soil those things that go to sustain a world. Were it not for his efforts, and should they cease for a period, the world would stand aghast and well ask what had happened. The farmer is the one class of producers that raise exactly what the world has to have, and has the least say so in regard to what he is to receive for the products of his labor, than any other class of productive laborers.

All over the nation comes the report that the farmer is waking up, and is tired of accepting promises without their fulfillment. He proposes to take a hand and make one supreme effort to elect to the law making body of the land such men as he feels sure will give him some relief and less promises.

He was blind. As he trudged slowly the cement walkways of the city carefully feeling his way past the obstructions that lined his path, all the while singing to himself a familiar song, the thought occurred to the observer, that if one in that condition and almost in rags could be cheerful, how much more so ought those who are in possession of all their faculties, be.

This man was absolutely dependent on charity. Around his shoulders was hung an old stringed instrument with which he could arrest the attention of the passerby. These present a pitiable aspect indeed, and one must be very calloused of heart to not have a certain degree of pity, and give some help to these, the earth's unfortunate.

There is many a fellow that just thinks he is stung by the political bee when he merely hears it buzzing by.

Fortunate indeed are they who can steer clear of the sharks on land that are as numerous as they of the sea.

A cheery Good Morning, responded to with the same feeling has much to do with beginning the day aright. Its effect is electrical and both parties to the transaction are better fitted for the day's work.

The silent forces are the mightiest; they gather their strength quietly, yet when expressed it is of a very positive nature.

To begin in time, therein lies the success of many an undertaking.

If you do not help yourself, one need not look for much assistance from any other source.

Sometimes the bitter experience of patience produces results that is pleasant to contemplate.

Within the faculty of the mind originates much of the happiness that individuals possess.

KEEN INTEREST IN PRICE CUT

Whole Country Anxious to Learn Amount of Dodge Brothers Reduction

Dealer Here Tells of Elaborate Preparations for Big Business; News Out February 1

What is the purchase price?

This slight but important alteration seems to have been made in the famous slogan spread broadcast by Dodge Brothers a few months ago. The change was brought about by the most persistent epidemic of public curiosity since the time when Dodge Brothers first announced that they were about to market a car and then refused to tell what kind of a car it was going to be. That was eight years ago.

Dodge Brothers latest bid for a complete and exclusive monopoly on public attention, so far as it pertains to the automobile industry, came on January 10, when they announced that they were about to make a substantial reduction in the price of their cars and then declined to tell what the price would be.

The mere fact that they will not tell until February 1 makes everyone want to know immediately.

Frank S. Harris, the Dodge Brothers dealer here, was commenting on the subject today, somewhat on the order of the foregoing paragraphs, when a voice on the telephone inquired "if there wasn't a chance to get a little advance information on those prices." There were good reasons, the voice said, why the "tip" should be given out in this particular case, "and it would be sure to turn out to your advantage." But the dealer expressed his regrets and the voice reluctantly withdrew.

"That is the way it has been going ever since January 11," the dealer said. "I never appreciated what an intense interest there was in Dodge Brothers motor cars until this occurred. That fellow who just called probably wanted the information for some business reason, or maybe for sheer curiosity. Perhaps he had a bet up with someone. Anyhow, he refused to give his name. The great majority of those who call, however, leave their names and telephone numbers and on February 1 we are going to have a special staff busy calling all these people and giving them the real news."

"We prefer this method of making the new prices known because it avoids the possible confusion resulting from publication of 'F. O. B. Detroit' prices. There is no disposition on our part to make a mystery of it, once the price becomes known to us. But we have learned that local people are interested in local prices and that is what we are going to give them as soon as we can figure the amounts after we receive the information from the factory. In due time, of course, these local prices will be published, but in order to learn the amounts on the day of the announcement it will be necessary for interested parties to call at our salesrooms or leave their telephone numbers, so that we may call them."

"It is not difficult to see that we are going to have a big year, as a great percentage of these people who want to know about the price are in the market for a car. It became known at our annual meeting in New York that Dodge Brothers themselves anticipated an exceptional year and made preparations for it. They exhibited a motion picture in which some of these preparations were revealed. They have been working steadily all winter, you know, and will be fully prepared when the big rush comes—and the rush is only a few days distant now. This means that Dodge Brothers will soon be shipping more cars per day than ever before in their history."

"It has taken millions of dollars to finance this tremendous program of increased production, but everyone will soon see that it was an excellent investment."

While it was generally expected in the industry that Dodge Brothers would make a substantial cut, the unusual form of the announcement proved to be a veritable bombshell. At first glance it appeared to be a somewhat mysterious procedure but as the full significance of the announcement dawned on other manufacturers it was conceded that it was an exceptionally strategic move.—Advertisement.

Cleanliness is next to Godliness—Why sleep on unclean, uncomfortable

MATRESSES
We make new Mattresses out of Old Ones.

—Satisfaction Guaranteed—
TWIN CITY MATTRESS CO.
505-507 W. Market Street
Phone 124 Decatur, Ala.

Sunday School Members Will Meet Thursday Discuss Building Addition

The Central Methodist Sunday school's total attendance yesterday was 432, and the church auditorium was greatly crowded, as was also the Sunday school, when the review exercises were conducted by the superintendent, John F. Lovin. In connection with the shortage of rooms and seats a council meeting of the teachers and officers of the school was called by Mr. Lovin to meet at the church Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at which time needs of the school will be discussed.

One of the largest organized classes of this school is the Wesley Bible class named in honor of John Wesley, the founder of Methodism. There were 98 members of this class present yesterday out of an enrollment of about 112. Just at this time there is a contest on between the "white" and the "blue" divisions of this class.

Melvin Hutson taught the International lesson for the Wesley class yesterday morning which was on the "Sin of Covetousness." From his legal experience, the teacher told of some men who, in their desire to get something for nothing, had overstepped the bounds of the law, and in many instances lost everything they had. The fatal results of King Ahab's sin of covetousness was the Scripture basis of the lesson, and Mr. Hutson spoke in part as follows:

"The story from which the lesson is taken is one of the many stories of the Bible, if studied with anxiety for its spiritual meaning, gives us an insight into the secret recesses of the mind of man, and of God's dealings with humanity. Naboth had a beautiful vineyard which to him was sacred, because of the fond recollections which no doubt were called to his mind by the beauty of that lovely spot. Ahab wanted the garden. He could not buy it and consequently resorted to schemes to obtain it. God sent Elijah to this king, who was unfair with his people who warned Ahab of the awful fate that awaited him." Reading from the Sunday school magazine, Mr. Hutson continued: "Ahab's sin was not only in the deed but in the desire for the vineyard at any cost. Sin is not only the act, but a condition of the heart. This statement may seem incorrect, but upon examination of the highest authority—Christ—we must admit that it is the condition of the mind and not only the overt act that constitutes the sin. This fundamental truth is the basis of all our criminal laws."

"The thoughts that have recently been in the mind of the slayer of his fellow man determines the degree of the crime. God looks into the mind and the inspired writer records the thoughts. Man sees only the deeds and the profane writer records them. Historians say of Ahab in substance that he was the son and successor of Omri and that he ascended the throne in 918 B. C. and reigned for 22 years. He married Jezebel, the daughter of Ethbaal, king of Sidonians; and by his marriage he obtained the favor of some neighboring kingdoms and great wealth. Wealth and ability enabled

him to consolidate a divided kingdom. "Ahab was finally slain in battle. The inspired writer pushes aside the veil that covered the king's heart and reveals the real Ahab overpowered by the wicked Jezebel and willing to take the life of his fellow man that he may enjoy the benefits of a beautiful vineyard."

"It would no doubt be interesting if an inspired writer could record the hearts of some of the prominent men of modern time. Take for instance, the Great Napoleon. How the common people rallied to his support and how all Europe pronounced his name with fear. Profane writers say the common people deserted him when he deserted them. If God's writer was telling the story, he would probably say that God deserted Napoleon when Napoleon ceased to think of the welfare, the sorrows and the cares of the masses of France who had suffered so long and so much beneath the oppressive yoke of autocrats and began to think so much of Napoleon and Napoleon's heir that he divorced his faithful wife and married a royal bride. God certainly loved those poor oppressed people of France because in the words of Lincoln he made so many of them."

"Washington was the idol of the people and favorite of God because he thought of the welfare of the people and not of Washington. If covetous-

ness had entered the mind of Washington he would have never died the doer of the people."

WHY DO THEY LIKE THIS MAN?

It is Because He Has the Life and Energy that Red Blood Gives

He has a good color. He is strong and virile, and looks it. He is good humored. He laughs easily. In short, he is "full of life," which is simply another way of saying he is full of red blood. If you are weak and run-down and nervous, don't sleep very well and have a poor appetite go to your drugist and buy a few bottles of Gude's Pepto-Mangan and take it for a few weeks at meal-time. See how it will build you up by giving you plenty of good blood. Don't drag around half sick and half well. Get some "pep" into you by taking Pepto-Mangan. Sold in both liquid and tablet form.—Advertisement.

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E. C. PAYNE, Mayor.
H. HARTUNG, Clerk. Adv-5-t

THIRTIETH ANNUAL STATEMENT

of

The Tennessee Valley Bank

DECEMBER 31, 1921

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts..... \$2,465,425.61	Capital Stock..... \$ 161,800.00
Demand Loans..... 183,311.53	Surplus Fund..... 161,800.00
Bonds and Stocks..... 158,844.00	Und. Profits and Reserve..... 41,636.40
Overdrafts..... 42.36	Bills Payable..... None
Banking Houses (16)..... 90,500.00	Rediscouts..... None
Furniture and Fixtures (16)..... 36,750.00	Deposits..... 3,018,660.69
Real Estate..... 8,100.00	
Cash and due from Banks..... 440,923.59	
\$3,383,897.09	\$3,383,897.09




Bat Brand High Grade FERTILIZERS

Established in 1910
Mixtures especially adapted to the Tennessee Valley Soils.

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Ford Sedan
FREE
Be sure and
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Every 50c
Spent or
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MR. C. C. ARBUCKLE,
Fechheimer's Representative
will be with us
MONDAY, TUESDAY
AND WEDNESDAY,
JAN. 30, 31, AND FEB. 1.

With big display of season's
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—COME IN—
Have your measure taken
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delivery.

Just Arrived
New Spring
Caps—It
will pay you to
see them

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What We Sell Must Make Good or We Will

RHEUMATISM OVERCOME IN A SHORT TIME

Montgomery Man Says Tanlac
Has Entirely Ended His Eleven
Years of Suffering.

Stomach Troubles Also Disap-
peared and He Has Gained
Forty Pounds in Weight

"By giving Tanlac a fair trial I got
rid of eleven years suffering and have
gained 40 pounds in weight," said A.
Bazzell, 917 Bell St., Montgomery,
Ala., for 30 years a valued employee
of the Montgomery cotton mills.

"I had indigestion, rheumatism, dis-
ordered liver and constipation and suf-
fered until I hardly expected to ever
be well again. My appetite finally
left me entirely, and my wife found
my dinner bucket just as full when I
came home as when she fixed it in the
morning. For weeks at a time I was
unable to strike a lick of work and
my back hurt me so bad I just had to
walk all bent over. Rheumatism got
in my arms and ankles, and my arms
hurt so bad I couldn't even tie my
shoe string.

"On my third bottle of Tanlac I
noticed an improvement and today I
am as well in every way as I ever
was in my life. It's been 14 months
since Tanlac set me right, and I have
been eating and everything I want
and feeling fine ever since."

NOTE—Tanalac Vegetable Pills are
an essential and vitally important part
of the Tanlac treatment. You cannot
hope to get the most satisfactory re-
sults from Tanlac without first estab-
lishing a free and regular movement
of the bowels. Tanlac Vegetable Pills
are absolutely free from calomel and
are sold on a positive guarantee to
give satisfaction.

Tanalac is sold by leading druggists
everywhere.—Advertisement.

Heavy Cold? Chest All Clogged Up?

DON'T let it get a start, Dr. King's
New Discovery will get right
down to work, relieving the tight feeling
in the chest, quieting the racking
cough, gently stimulating the bowels,
thus eliminating the cold poisons.
Always reliable. Just good medicine
made to ease colds and coughs.

For fifty years a standard remedy.
All the family can take it with helpful
results. Eases the children's croup.
No harmful drugs. Convincing, heal-
ing taste that the kiddies like. At all
druggists, 60c.

Dr. King's New Discovery For Colds and Coughs

Feel Badly? Bowels Sluggish?
Haven't any "pep" in work or play.
You're constipated! The stimulating
action of Dr. King's Pills brings back
old time energy. All druggists, 25c.

Dr. King's Pills

Dr. A. R. Haisfield

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Office over Harris Motor Co.
Phone 126 Decatur, Ala.
123-1m

Delinquent Public Improve-
ment Assessments for Streets,
Walks and Sewers. All property
owners are hereby warned that
payment must be made at once.
List is being made up for adver-
tisement and sale of such prop-
erty.

E. C. PAYNE,
H. HARTUNG, Mayor
Clerk. Advertisement.

Ladies' Benevolent Society Is Chosen

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pressed wishes of the mass meeting.
H. O. Cline, president of the Albany
city council, said that he thought the
time had come for vigorous and de-
termined action, and expressed the
belief that there would be no trouble
in raising all the money needed.
W. R. McCluskey spoke along similar
lines.

J. W. Clifton, who, it developed
during the discussions was the first
man to make a practical move to al-
leviate present distress, pledged his sup-
port, but asked to be relieved of com-
mittee work for one week as he had
to be out of town for that length of
time. George D. Williamson, A. A.
Hardage, Judge William T. Lowe, Dr.
H. C. McRae, Dr. John W. Wallace,
Dr. J. F. Sturdivant, E. T. Baird,
Miss Unity Dancy, and others made
earnest appeals. Miss Dancy, in be-
half of herself and Miss Mary Lou
Dancy, made a subscription of
\$100.00.

The following finance committee
was appointed, Dr. H. C. McRae, J.
W. Clifton, W. R. McCluskey, Mrs.
Marcia Bullard, Mrs. A. A. Hardage,
Mrs. E. C. Payne and Mrs. W. A.
Lowe.

Ex-Service Men Stop Rescue Work

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until his twin sister had been rescued
also.

The rescuers, guided by the boy's
directions, found the sister who was
only slightly hurt.

Four separate investigations to de-
termine the cause and to fix responsi-
bility for the collapse were getting
underway today. They were:

1. An investigation ordered by the
commissioner of the District of Col-
umbia.

2. A federal grand jury inquiry to
be directed by the United States at-
torney for the district.

3. An inquiry by a coroner's jury.

4. An investigation by a senate
committee under a resolution to be
offered by Senator Capper, Republi-
can of Kansas.

Construction experts and architects
probably will be called before the fed-
eral grand jury to testify in regard
to the ability of the "Cantilever roof"
to stand up under the snow which
rested upon it Saturday night.

Congressman Bartley, of Kentucky,
whose son was injured in the theatre
crash, is also understood to be plan-
ning to institute an investigation by
a special committee of the house.

The Knickerbocker theatre was
erected five years ago. No theatres
were permitted to open their doors
today until all snow had been removed
from the roofs and the condition of
the building passed upon by building
inspectors.

Local hospitals were besieged today
by scores of friends and relatives of
the injured. Families having mem-
bers staying over in town besieged
hospitals to learn if their missing ones
had been in the theatre. Funerals of
some of the victims were held today,
although the majority of them will be
tomorrow. Capital undertakers estab-
lishments worked throughout Sunday
and last night preparing the bodies
for interment.

Joe Neely Dies In Dallas, Texas

Joseph Neely, prominent salesman
and well known in the Twin Cities
where he has friends and relatives,
died Thursday in Dallas, Texas. Fun-
eral services will be held from the
Cumberland Presbyterian church, Co-
lumbia, Tenn., Wednesday.

ANNUAL DINNER IS SERVED EMPLOYEES CALVIN COMPANY

An unusually enjoyable event oc-
curred Saturday night when the offi-
cers and employees of the J. H. Calvin
Grocery company and a few friends
enjoyed their annual company ban-
quet. The dinner was served in the
Kiwanis club rooms at 7 o'clock. Dur-
ing the evening short talks were made
by members of the popular organiza-
tion, reviewing the work of the past
year and discussing the plans and
purposes of the company during the
current period.

The Calvin company has enjoyed
remarkable growth during the year
and now is one of the largest whole-
sale organizations in the state.

Those attending the banquet were:
J. H. Calvin, Arch Trawick, of Nash-
ville, sales manager of the Tennessee
Biscuit company; J. L. Cline, of the
Reynolds Tobacco company; Sidney
Patterson, of the Tennessee Biscuit
company; R. E. DeTreville, Albany
broker; members of the Calvin com-
pany as follows: Charles Hendricks
and Ed Gunn of Athens; A. J. Wach-
ter, Eugene Clark, Joe Smith, Alex
Hardin, Wm. Lee, of Cullman; Frank
Merriweather, Charles Quinn, Hart-
selle; C. D. Carter and M. D. Carter,
of Russellville; Earl Calvin, A. W.
Raner, J. W. Montgomery, R. C.
Sims, O. J. Ware, J. W. Cunningham,
Jo Jo Calvin, of the Twin Cities.

War Secretary to Delay "Comments"

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ing the national profits of 8 per cent
as aforesaid, shall regulate the price
at which said fertilizer may be sold
by the company. For these purposes
said board shall have access to the
books and records of the company at
any reasonable time.

"The said board shall also deter-
mine the equitable territorial distri-
bution of fertilizer products produced
at nitrate plant Number 2. If, and
when, said board cannot agree upon
its findings and termination then the
point of disagreement shall be re-
ferred to the federal trade commission
or its legal successor for arbitration
and settlement and the decision of
said commission in such cases shall be
final and binding upon the board.

COTTON MARKET

(Furnished by Courtesy of J. L.
Robinson and Co. Wire)

New York Market

Open High Low Close

March 1655 1655 1600 1614

May 1628 1628 1580 1593

New Orleans Market

Open High Low Close

March 1538 1545 1484 1497

May 1540 1543 1482 1496

N. Y. Spots—1640—50 down.

N. O. Spots—1500—50 down.

New Paper.

Hang the new wall paper with
which you are going to patch the old
in the sun for a while, and it will soon
be faded to match.

NOTICE!

To our friends and patrons:
We have moved to 513 Sec-
ond Avenue, opposite Mc-
Lellan's 5 and 10c Store.

Gillespie Sisters
Albany, Ala. Phone 522

SOCIETY NEWS

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 352.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Monday

Womens' Missionary Society, 1st M. E. Church..... Mrs. W. A. Brown
St. John's Guild Meeting..... Mrs. Charles Eyster
Christian Women's Union..... Mrs. E. E. Clemm
Womens' Missionary Society, Central M. E. Church..... Mrs. W. R. Smith

Tuesday

Progressive Culture Club (3 p. m.)..... Mrs. F. F. Tidwell
Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club..... Mrs. O. C. Parker
Jr. Missionary Society, 1st Presbyterian Church..... Mrs. F. S. Huht

Wednesday

Benevolent Society Meeting (3 p. m.)..... Directors Room, M. C. Nat'l Bank
Married Ladies Bridge Club..... Mrs. F. D. Peebles

Thursday

Auction Bridge Club..... Mrs. W. M. Murray
D. A. R., 3 P. M..... Mrs. Louis A. Neill
Thursday Club..... Mrs. T. M. Jones, Jr.

Friday

N. B. Club (8 p. m.)..... Mr. and Mrs. John McGehee
Friday Afternoon Rook Club..... Mrs. Jim Hall
Canal Street Rook Club..... Mrs. J. D. Wyker
Bridge Club..... Mrs. C. T. Happer
Friday Night Bridge Club..... Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hardage

Saturday

Silk Stocking Club..... Mrs. T. M. Jones

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Echols compli-
mented W. R. Smith Saturday even-
ing with a birthday party at their
home on Grant street. Bridge was
played at three tables, after which a
delightful salad course was served.
Mr. Smith was presented an honoree
prize, and Mrs. Wolcott and Marvia
Rankin, who made the highest scores,
received attractive mementos of the
occasion. Those present were Mr.
and Mrs. W. R. Smith, Mr. and Mrs.
R. H. Wolcott, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin
Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. Hardage, Mr.
and Mrs. H. T. Gill and Mr. and Mrs.
J. L. Echols.

D. E. Henderson is confined to his
home with grippe.

VOLUNTEER CLASS OF NINTH STREET CHURCH

A meeting of the members of the
Volunteer class of the Ninth Street
M. E. church was held recently at the
home of Miss Stella Curl at which
about sixteen were present. Miss
Mattie Smith, the teacher, presided at
the business session when the follow-
ing officers were elected: Assistant
teacher, Miss Pearl Elkins; president,
Miss Myrtle Evans, vice-president,
George Davidson; secretary, Miss Ma-
mie Sandusky; assistant secretary,
Miss Edith Butler; treasurer, James
Rountree. Social committee chair-
man, Miss Stella Curl; sick committee
chairman, Miss Lena Engle; mem-
bership committee chairman, Miss Rose
Keltner. When the business was dis-
posed of, a social followed and re-
freshments were served by Miss Curl.

SILK STOCKING CLUB

Mrs. John W. Jones entertained the
Silk Stocking club Saturday afternoon
at the home of Mrs. Frank Lide on
Cain street. Mrs. Robert Sheppard
and Mrs. Jordan, of Athens, substi-
tuted for club members, Mrs. Shep-
pard receiving the guest prize. Mrs.
Frank Lide was presented the club
prize. A salad course was served by
the hostess.

Mrs. T. M. Jones, Jr., will be hostess
Saturday afternoon to this club.

Mrs. Wilburn Smith returned to
her home in Birmingham after a visit
to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G.
Cortner.

Mrs. Stacy Vines returned from a
visit to relatives in Birmingham last
week.

Miss Jewel Herring spent the week-
end with relatives at Basham Chapel.

Mrs. D. T. Harris arrived Satur-
day from Chicago to visit her sister,
Mrs. J. D. Jervis.

Miss Grace Garrison has returned
after a visit to her brothers, Robert
and Ras at the State University.

Mrs. Dan Walden and daughter
Miss Julia are at Birmingham for a
stay of two weeks.

Mrs. Tim Hudson and daughters,
Frances Dorsey and Sarah Todd, of
Nashville, will arrive tomorrow to
visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.
E. Todd.

Mrs. Henry Bynum, of Courtland,
will arrive Tuesday to be the guest
of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Lute Couch have
named their daughter, Mildred Louise.

Mrs. W. E. Spain and children, of
Birmingham, are the guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Will Maness.

Mrs. H. Y. Jordan, of Athens, re-
turned to her home Saturday night
after a visit to Mrs. Robert Sheppard.

Miss Louise Lile, of Trinity, is the
guest of her sister, Mrs. W. F. Bos-
well.

Mrs. L. R. Jacks and little daugh-
ter left this afternoon for a visit to
her mother, Mrs. Hatchett in Athens.

Mrs. James J. Johnson and baby are
the guests of relatives in Birmingham.

Mrs. Paige, of Columbia, who has
been the guest of Mrs. L. C. Mayes,
has returned home.

Mike Holland, well known local citi-
zen, sustained another stroke of pa-
ralysis yesterday, and is in a critical
condition.

E. D. Whitman is able to attend to
business following an illness of sev-
eral days.

W. A. Curry has returned from a
business trip to Indiana.

John T. Kyle, of Hartselle, was at
the court house today on business.

Relemon Sherrill, of Hartselle, was
in the Twin Cities today.

Col. T. A. Ashford, of Mooresville,
is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H.
Drakill.

John T. Cooper, of Hartselle, was
here today looking after tax matters
in the offices of the tax officials.


W. N. Cowden returned to Browns-
ville after spending the week-end with
his family here.

Glenn Harvey spent Sunday in
Athens.

Frank Sherrill, of Hartselle, was a
visitor here today.

THIS WILL ASTONISH ALBANY PEOPLE

The quick action of simple witch-
hazel, camphor, hydrastis, etc., as
mixed in Lavoptik eye wash, will sur-
prise Albany people. One girl with
weak, strained eyes was helped by a
single application. Her mother could
hardly sew or read because of eye
pains. In one week she too was bene-
fited. We guarantee a small bottle of
Lavoptik to help ANY CASE weak,
strained or inflamed eyes. Aluminum
eye cup FREE. Dillehay Bros., drug-
gists.—Advertisement.



**World's
Standard Cold
Remedy for Two
Generations**

*The Man
Who*
Has the name and
Hill's Cascara's
Bromide Quinine, the
product, have stood the test for over 20
years. Depend on
C.B.Q. Always reliable
—the best remedy
for Colds and La-
Grippe.

At Drugists—20c
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A BUILDING TONIC

To those of delicate con-
stitution, young or old,
Scott's Emulsion
is nourishment and
tonic that builds up
the whole body.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

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Back From Mission Fields in Africa

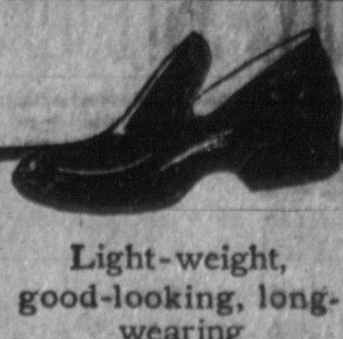
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the natives in some instances, during
the war thought to gain complete in-
dependence from white influence, and
frequent attempts were made to re-
peat the Boxer uprising, such as oc-
curred in China years ago. Returning
to the two faithful boys the speaker
said that both were killed; one was
eaten on the spot, and that the heads
of both were thrown into the house
they had defended. It was shown,
how the natives, sometimes armed
their fingers, so to speak, with iron
nails, and went in and clawed their
human victims to pieces and then ate
their dead bodies. The speaker de-
scribed the climate, forests and wild
animal life in Africa, as attractive
beyond description, but agreed with
the hymn writer who once described
such parts as "where every prospect
pleases and only man is vile." The
consensus of opinion of those who
heard Mr. Patterson, is that not an-
other foreign missionary speaker has
appeared here more attractive and
entertaining than the Tennessee
reared boy, who farmed it success-
fully and then went into foreign mis-
sionary work.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Moore,
of Memphis, Tenn., an January 29, a
son. Mrs. Moore will be remembered
here as Miss Lillian Kirkland, where
she has a large circle of friends.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Brad-
ley on January 28th, a daughter, Zana
Dean.



Light-weight,
good-looking, long-
wearing

RUBBERS

for men and women,
boys and girls



These "Ball-Band"
Rubbers have a wonder-
ful reputation. The Red
Ball Trade Mark on the
sole has always stood
for the very highest
quality in rubber foot-
wear—the kind of qual-
ity that saves money.



Chandler's

Bananas

They Are Nutritious

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PRINCESS THEATER—TODAY

ELSIE FERGUSON

"FOOTLIGHTS"

The beautiful star's greatest, most enjoyable role of her
whole career. Superb story, artistic production.

The great cast includes—

Marc McDermott and Octavia Handworth

No more charming modiste's fashion display was ever
seen on the screen. Miss Ferguson wears 39
beautiful French creations.

Added Attraction—"Pathe News"

DELITE THEATER—TUESDAY

THOMAS MEIGHAN and

AGNES AYRES in

"CAPPY RICKS"

*A tale of the sea and a world of ships—and a man who
could face a storm, a fight or a glorious love and see
it through. A picture freighted with
love and happiness.

Musical Event of the Season

Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra

PRINCESS THEATER

Tuesday, Jan. 31st

80 Artists

Eugene Ysaye, Conductor

Auspices North Alabama Shrine Club
Net proceeds donated to Charity.

Curtain 8:15 Sharp. No one will be seated
during rendition of any number.

All Seats \$2.00—Plus War Tax

GALLERY RESERVED FOR COLORED PEOPLE AT 55c

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Albany, Alabama

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—To highest bidder, on Tuesday, Feb. 14, beautiful country home (old Colonial bungalow), 8 rooms, extra large sleeping porch, all screened, 2 verandas 8x32 feet each, good garage, barn, etc., 15 acres good land; 1-4 mile of Southern railway station, Belle Mina, Ala. Will accept sealed bids up to date of sale. E. C. Steele, 106 1-2 W. Church St., Decatur, Ala. 390-6t

FOR SALE—6 year old Jersey cow, now in milk. Phone Albany 698-J. \$35 takes the animal. J. H. Riddle. 329-3t

FOR SALE—3 horsepower coal oil engine, new, with Webster magneto. \$75 for a quick turnover. John D. Wyker & Son. 329-6t

FOR SALE—For cash, an established wholesale grocery business. Good position. If interested, write P. O. Box 165, Decatur, Ala. 29-3t

FOR SALE—Pair of mules, 9 and 10 years old, wagon and harness, disc harrow, two-horse plow, and other plows and tools for sale or trade for a Ford car. J. W. Sams, Fairview, Albany R. F. D. 2. 324-6t

FOR SALE—Ford 1-ton truck; engine just overhauled; very cheap for cash. See Buchheit's garage. 324-1m

FOR SALE—Buick six, roadster; good condition, at Buchheit's garage. 324-1m

FOR SALE—One Ford tractor, one tractor disc harrow, one tractor disc turner; all as good as new; will be sold at a bargain. Hughes & Tidwell. 330-3t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Feb. 1st, 3 connecting rooms furnished for light housekeeping with bath, gas, water and lights. References exchanged. 409 Line, between LaFayette and Church streets. 330-3t

FOR RENT—Store next to Hughes & Tidwell. I have just completed a seven room apartment over this store with bath, toilet, lavatory, hot and cold water. Would prefer renting entire building to one tenant; if same is not rented by Feb. 15 will rent flat separate. B. L. Malone. 330-1t

FOR RENT—2 upstairs rooms. Call at 215 E. LaFayette St. for particulars. 330-3t

FOR RENT—100 acre farm, 50 acres cleared, well watered. Inquire at 215 E. LaFayette St., or write P. O. Box 96, Decatur, Ala. 330-3t

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Large envelope containing bill of lading and manifest, addressed to National Biscuit Company. Reward. Phone Albany 270-J. 330-3t

WANTED

WANTED TO SELL—Or rent, one 10 horsepower kerosene engine, grist mill 20 in. and feed mill. Phone 190. Barnes & Wear, West Moulton pike, Albany, Ala. 330-3t

WANTED—Man with car to sell low priced Graham tires. \$130 per week and commissions. Graham Tire Co., 62 Boulevard, Benton Harbor, Mich. 30-1t

WANTED—Man with car to represent us in this territory. Can advance to district manager if hustler. The C. L. Smith Co., South Bend, Ind. 30-1t

WANTED—We want you to see our new line of picture moulding before having your pictures framed. We are equipped in our framing department to make most any kind of picture frame. Kirby Studio, Grant street. 327-3t

WANTED—Five thousand bushels of Whippoorwill peas. Poole and Sherrill, Hartselle, Ala. 325-1w

WANTED—To sell you a Mascot Reage under an absolute guarantee. Carrell Bros., Bank street, Phone 157.

WE WILL BUY USED—Iron Beds, Cook Stoves, Dressers, Chairs, Rockers, Dining Furniture. Dinsmore Bros., Phone 397-Albany. 327-1m

REGISTERED PHARMACIST—Desires position with druggist as prescription clerk, or front man; can give best of reference. Have had six years experience in drug business and have had city and small town experience. For further information, address Box 96, Albany, Ala. 325-4t

MISCELLANEOUS

FANNIE E. M'MATH, Beauty Culturist. Manicuring, facial and electrical massage, hot oil treatment, shampooing, dyeing, mud pack, singeing, electrical scalp treatment. Residential work a specialty. Phone Decatur 330.

POLLY AND HER PALS



EARN \$6-\$10 weekly addressing mailing circulars, spare time at home. Instructions 25 cents. Mailers List Co., 5651 28th St., Detroit, Mich. 30-1t

BIG reduction in work gloves, work shirts, overalls and work pants. Monday and Tuesday. J. M. Sears. 29-1t

YOUR FUTURE FORETOLD—Send dime, birthdate for truthful, reliable, convincing trial reading. Hazel House, Box 215, Los Angeles, Cal. 329-4t

THE WORLD'S leading matrimonial club—Thousands worth \$5,000 to \$400,000 willing to marry; list sent free. Hon. Ralph Hyde, 88, San Francisco, Calif. 29-2t

BOYS' suits, shirts, hose and gloves at half price for cash, Monday and Tuesday. J. M. Sears. 29-1t

YOUNG men, women, over 17, desiring government positions, \$130 per month, write for free list of positions now open. R. Terry, (former Civil Service examiner) 18 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C. 327-4t

SHOE REPAIRING—Reduced prices. Half sole and heels, best material, \$1.50; other work at proportionate prices. W. A. Gordon, opposite shop gate. 319-1m

WE DO all kinds of crating for house hold goods. Also furniture repairing. Call Albany 397. Dinsmore Brothers. 330-1t

TAUL YOUR OWN, and save the difference. Nicely cured hay of various kinds, 75 cents per bale. Ten bales or more, delivered. Otto Moebes, Phone 216 or 381 W. 024-5t

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E. C. PAYNE, Mayor.
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Delinquent Public Improvement Assessments for Streets, Walks and Sewers. All property owners are hereby warned that payment must be made at once. List is being made up for advertisement and sale of such property.
E. C. PAYNE, Mayor
H. HARTUNG, Clerk. Advertisement.

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WELL KNOWN MAN
TAKES OWN LIFE

Despondent over continued ill health, Harvey Ricketts, aged forty-three years and widely known young farmer of the Cathey's Creek community, ended his life Wednesday afternoon by hanging himself from a tree in the field of a neighbor, where his body was found by searchers at 6:30 o'clock last night.

According to the best information available, Mr. Ricketts had been in ill health for several months, having undergone one or two operations last summer but apparently with little improvement in health. About Christmas he is said to have contracted a severe cold which had grown steadily worse, leaving him unable to attend to his work about the farm.

Mr. Ricketts disappeared from his home about 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, and his family missing him, his wife searched the premises but without result. After an hour or more, a searching party of some 100 men was organized and until 6:30 o'clock the party searched until the lifeless body was found by Tait Sheddan and Jim Martin between a quarter and one-half mile from his home on the farm of J. A. Beard. Mr. Ricketts had evidently taken the rope with which he hung himself from home, and had gone to a point where the branches of a tree overhung a large gulley. Trimming this limb with his pocket knife, Mr. Ricketts believed to have placed the noose around his neck, and jumped into the gulley.

The finding of the body caused a profound sensation in that peaceful community.

Mr. Ricketts is survived by two small children in addition to his wife, a little girl aged seven years and a boy aged five. He had resided in the tenth district on Cathey's creek for ten years, and was regarded as a splendid neighbor and citizen. He was a member of the Christian church.

The funeral was conducted at 1 o'clock this afternoon at South Point church by Elder Austin, of Mt. Pleasant. Interment was at Pisgah cemetery at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.—Columbia Herald.

The deceased was a brother-in-law of Mrs. B. Liles, Mrs. J. W. Flowers and Miss Willie Beard of this city.

Somerville News

T. N. Brindley, of Bluff City, has been at Vinemont, Ala., where his daughter, Mrs. J. G. Martin, has been quite ill with pneumonia.

Miss Daisy Winton visited Mrs. Joe Winton last week.

Lundy Weinman and Vernon Hutson, of Hartselle, were here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Chunn visited Mrs. Roscoe Russell Saturday.

Mrs. M. K. Brindley visited her aunt, Mrs. Joe Winton, last Wednesday.

Misses Madge and Nannie Henderson were the week-end guests of Miss Ruby Stephenson near Hartselle.

Hugo Weinman was here Friday on business.

Francis Winton was here last week on business.

Rev. James Francis was called to the bedside of Jim Woods Wednesday. Mr. Woods is reported very ill.

Mrs. J. A. Garrison visited her sisters, Misses Vinnie and Carrie Watkins last week.

BRUISES-SPRAINS
Alternate applications hot and cold cloths—then apply—
VICKS VAPORUB
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

AN OPEN LETTER
TO OUR PEOPLE

Regarding a New Health Discovery Made at One of Our Leading Medical Colleges

It will interest the people to know that leading medical men of the country have for some time been advocating dietetic treatment—for weak, nervous, run-down, anemic conditions, for feeble old people, convalescents and delicate, ailing children rather than medicine.

Nutritional science has now discovered an easy way of supplying the strength-creating, life-giving elements lacking in our daily food—for there has been tested and approved at one of America's greatest medical colleges a nutritive tonic tablet called SUSTO which contains, in concentrated form, all the Vitamins of yeast, rice, eggs, milk, together with beef protein, nuclein and iron.

Therefore, if you need strength, lack energy, are nervous, anemic, run-down, thin and ailing, SUSTO will nourish the shrunken tissues, create strength, build up shattered nerves and energy.

If you try it for one month, at a cost of 10 cents a day, and you are not in better health every way, weigh more, and feel stronger, your money will be returned. For sale by S. M. Thompson.—Advertisement.

The Season

One swallow may not make a summer, but a grasshopper makes several springs.—Cornell Widow.

NEWS OF HARTSELLE

John Brud Gibson, one of the oldest citizens of the county, is in a very precarious condition at his home in the Mount Nebo vicinity, and very little hope is held out for his recovery. Mr. Gibson has been an invalid for several years, as is also his wife.

Jasper high school and the Morgan county high basket ball teams began a game at the armory indoor court here Saturday, and on account of the lights going out, the game was abandoned in the first few minutes of play. The Jasper team was leading. The trouble with the lights originated at the local plant, and all efforts to locate it were fruitless.

The game between Hartselle and Falkville basket ball teams Saturday at Hartselle resulted in a decision for the local men, 26 to 6.

The Morgan county high school glee club sang at both the morning and evening services at the Methodist church Sunday. The pastor, Rev. R. M. Howell, preached the last of a series of sermons Sunday evening on Bible women, the last being on Miriam. These services have been well attended and much interest evidenced in them.

It is estimated by those who usually are able to forecast elections with some accuracy here that both amendments will carry in this beat 5 to 1.

The pretty weather promised for the day will bring out a large farm vote. East of the railroad, it is said that there is practically no opposition to either of the issues, and what opposition was shown earlier in the campaign in the town proper has practically disappeared.

J. A. Freidkin, who for the past year has conducted a men's furnishing business at this point, will close out his present stock and has rented the store at 619 Second avenue, Albany, and will open up a similar store at that point within the next 10 days.

P. W. Williams, who for some years past has been interested in the Alabama Cotton and Grain company at this point, has disposed of his interest in the business and will devote his entire time to the insurance business. Messrs. Day and Thomas, the other members of the firm, buying the interest of Mr. Williams, and will conduct the business in the future as in the past.

A large delegation of citizens of Hartselle will attend the Symphony concert in Albany Tuesday evening. There has been much inquiry for tickets and several from this point were in Albany today making seat reservations.

Dr. Kimbrough was in the Twin Cities today on business.

P. W. Williams was in Albany today in the interest of an insurance company which he represents.

Dr. R. M. South was at the court house in Decatur today looking after tax matters.

BIG SAVINGS FOR

THE THRIFTY HOUSEWIFE

Few homes indeed do not feel the need of economy. The necessity of making every penny count touches the purse of every housewife. It is doubtful if there is a single article employed as a food or in the preparation of food that demands more buying wisdom than baking powder. Up to its quality depends the success of economy of the bakings themselves.

Calumet baking powder enables the housewife to make three worth what one would make otherwise. She saves savings. She saves when she buys—it is moderate in price. She saves when she uses it—she uses only half as much as is required of most other powders. She saves materials it used with—it never permits baking failure. Any woman can use Calumet with best results—delicious, tasteful bakings that are pure and wholesome.

True home economy of time, material and effort is completely handled in Reliable Recipes, the 76-page Calumet Book and Household Hints. A copy yours FREE—for the asking. Address Home Economics Dept., Calumet Baking Powder Co., 4100 Fillmore Chicago, Ill.—Advertisement.

STATE OF ALABAMA.

MORGAN COUNTY. Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of

William F. Wallace, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that on the 24th day of December, 1921, a certain paper writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of the late

William F. Wallace was filed in

office for probate by James H. Wallace and that the 18th day of February, 1922, was appointed a day for hearing thereof, at which time can appear and contest the same you think proper.

Witness my hand this 23rd day of January, 1922.

L. P. Trotter, Judge of Probate.

323, 30, 16.

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Up to \$5.00 Georgette Waists, good styles, good colors, but they go at	\$1.00	Five Balls Shetland Floss, regular 29c value, going at five balls for	\$1.00	3 Turkish Towels for	\$1.00
Up to \$7.50 Sport Coats, real coats with good style and good material for	\$1.00	Silk Hosiery, all colors at the pair	\$1.00	5 yards Scout or Meret Percales for	\$1.00
Georgette Silks, all colors, going at the yard	\$1.00	One dozen Barber Towels going for	\$1.00	4 yards 39c Marquisette going for	\$1.00
72x90 Bargain Sheets, going at	\$1.00	4 yards of 39c imported Gingham, 32 inches wide, four yards for	\$1.00	Serge Dresses at	\$1.98
2 pairs Children's E. Z. style ribbed Union Suits, sizes 8 to 14 years, going at, 2 pair for	\$1.00	10 yards of Chambry, in all colors, for	\$1.00	Men's new Felt Hats, going at	\$1.00
5 Huck Towels for	\$1.00	7 yards of 19c yard wide bleached Sheeting with a cambric finish for	\$1.00	Men's either ribbed or fleece lined Shirts and Drawers, for the suit	\$1.00

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